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<b>Office Action Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>	
	10/051,358	NIELSEN ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b>	<b>Art Unit</b>	
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### Period for Reply

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- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- Failure to reply within the set or extended period for reply will, by statute, cause the application to become ABANDONED (35 U.S.C. § 133). Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of this communication, even if timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).

### Status

- 1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on 18 January 2002.
- 2a) ☐ This action is **FINAL**.                      2b) ☒ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

### Disposition of Claims

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-16 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) 6-16 is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are allowed.
- 6) ☒ Claim(s) 1-5 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

### Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is/are: a) ☐ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.  
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).  
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

### Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All    b) ☐ Some \* c) ☐ None of:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
  2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.
  3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

\* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

### Attachment(s)

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| 1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)            | 4) <input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413)           |
| 2) <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)   | Paper No(s)/Mail Date. _____                                      |
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## **DETAILED ACTION**

### ***Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112***

1. Claims 2-5 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

As per claim 2, line 3, "a" before "mobile portal" should be changed to - -said- - so as to refer back to the previously recited "mobile portal" found in claim 1.

As per claim 3, line 2, "a" before "mobile portal" should be changed to - -said- - so as to refer back to the previously recited "mobile portal" found in claim 1.

As per claim 4, line 2, "a" before "mobile portal" should be changed to - -said- - so as to refer back to the previously recited "mobile portal" found in claim 1. Also, on lines 1-2, "a " after "identifying" should be changed to - -said- - so as to refer back to the previously recited "user" found in claim 1.

As per claim 5, line 2, "a" after "accessing" should be changed to - -said- - so as to refer back to the previously recited "mobile portal" found in claim 1.

### ***Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102***

2. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless –

(b) the invention was patented or described in a printed publication in this or a foreign country or in public use or on sale in this country, more than one year prior to the date of application for patent in the United States.

Claims 1-5 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Laursen et al. (US Patent No. 6,065,120).

As per claim 1, Laursen et al disclose a method and system for accessing a remote terminal having web browsing capabilities from a wireless phone. The remote terminal comprise:

A display;

means for accessing a mobile portal 102;

means for retrieving information for viewing on a portable device or wireless phone (column 6, lines 19-29);

means for presenting at least some of the retrieved information to a user on the display (see column 7, line 32 to column 8, line 34).

As per claim 2, Laursen et al disclose the means for accessing the mobile portal includes a wireless transceiver and a software component which interfaces with the wireless transceiver and a terminal application to retrieve information from the mobile portal and configure the information to a format suitable for presentation on the display by the terminal application. See column 7, line 32 to column 8, line 34 and figures 2A-2b.

As per claim 3, most wireless devices include means for printing data presented on their screen.

As per claim 4, the terminal comprise means for identifying a user to determine whether the user has provided a mobile portal with personalized information and means for retrieving any such personalized information from the mobile portal (see column 7, lines 2-31).

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As per claim 5, Laursen et al disclose means for accessing a transaction authorization system is separate from the means for accessing the mobile portal. See figures 2a and 2b and columns 7-8.

### **Conclusion**

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Frantzy Poinvil whose telephone number is (571) 272-6797. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday from 7:00AM to 5:30PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Andrew Fisher can be reached on (571) 272-6779. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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